

JOHN M. JACQUELINE.

[To accompany bill H. R. No. 52.]

FEBRUARY 29, 1840.

Mr. CURTIS, from the Committee on Commerce, made the following

REPORT :

The Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the petition of John M. Jacqueline, praying for a return of duties illegally exacted from him by the late collector of New York, report :

That in the month of December, 1835, the petitioner imported, at the city of New York, by the ships Formosa and Utica, a quantity of linen drills and brown linens, upon which the late collector of New York exacted and received from the petitioner, and against his remonstrance, duties to the amount of seven hundred and seventy-three dollars and twenty-six cents, contrary to law ; the said articles so imported being, by law, free goods. The committee are of opinion that the money thus illegally exacted from the petitioner ought, in justice, to be refunded ; and they report a bill for his relief.

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JOHN M. JACOBUS

[Representative from New York]

February 29, 1905

The Committee on Commerce, from the Committee on Commerce, make the following

REPORT

The Committee on Commerce, to whom was referred the petition of John M. Jacobus, praying for a return of duties illegally exacted from him by the collector of New York, report:

That in the month of December, 1895, the petitioner imported, at the port of New York, by the ship *London* and *Utica*, a quantity of linen and brown linens, upon which the late collector of New York exacted and received from the petitioner, and against his remittance, the amount of seven hundred and seventy-three dollars and twenty cents, contrary to law; the said articles so imported being, by law, free of duty; and the committee are of opinion that the money thus illegally exacted from the petitioner ought in justice to be refunded; and they report